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PATENT APPLICATION

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Group
Art Unit: 1713

Attorney
Docket No.: 121036-0075

Applicant: Shigakatu SATO

Invention: RELEASE AGENT FOR METALLIC
 MOLD

Serial No.: 10/628,017

Filed: July 24, 2003

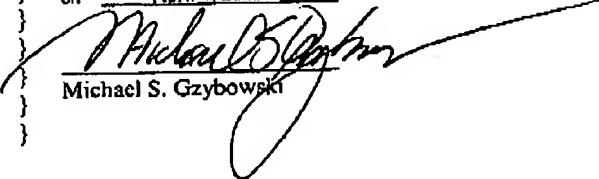
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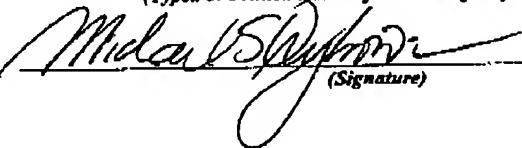
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Sir:

In response to the Official Action mailed December 2, 2004 in connection with the
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Pending Claims are reflected in the listing of the claims which begins on page 2 of this
 paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 4 of this paper.

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Applicant(s): Shigakatu SATO				
Application No. 10/628,017	Filing Date July 24,2003	Examiner Marie Reddick	Group Art Unit 1713	
<p>Invention: RELEASE AGENT FOR METALLIC MOLD</p> <p style="text-align: right;">RECEIVED CENTRAL FAX CENTER</p> <p style="text-align: right;">APR 04 2005</p>				
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Applicant(s): Shigakatu SATO					
Application No. 10/628,017	Filing Date July 24, 2003	Examiner Marie Reddick	Customer No. 35684	Group Art Unit 1713	Confirmation No. 3979
<p>Invention: RELEASE AGENT FOR METALLIC MOLD</p>					
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<input type="checkbox"/> Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27					
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<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <small>Effective on 12/08/2004.</small> <small>Fees pursuant to the Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2005 (H.R. 4818).</small>		Application Number 10/628,017	Filing Date July 24, 2003
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <small>Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.</small>		First Named Inventor Shigakatsu SATO	Examiner Name Marie Reddick
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<u>Application Type</u>	<u>FILING FEES</u>		<u>SEARCH FEES</u>		<u>EXAMINATION FEES</u>		
	<u>Fee (\$)</u>	<u>Small Entity Fee (\$)</u>	<u>Fee (\$)</u>	<u>Small Entity Fee (\$)</u>	<u>Fee (\$)</u>	<u>Small Entity Fee (\$)</u>	<u>Fee Paid (\$)</u>
Utility	300	150	500	250	200	100	
Design	200	100	100	50	130	65	
Plant	200	100	300	150	160	80	
Reissue	300	150	500	250	600	300	
Provisional	200	100	0	0	0	0	

2. EXCESS CLAIM FEESFee Description

Each claim over 20 (including Reissues)

Each independent claim over 3 (including Reissues)

Multiple dependent claims

<u>Total Claims</u>	<u>Extra Claims</u>	<u>Fee (\$)</u>	<u>Fee Paid (\$)</u>	<u>Small Entity Fee (\$)</u>	<u>Fee (\$)</u>	<u>Fee Paid (\$)</u>
- 20 or HP =	x	\$50.00	= \$0.00			
HP = highest number of total claims paid for, if greater than 20.						
<u>Indep. Claims</u>	<u>Extra Claims</u>	<u>Fee (\$)</u>	<u>Fee Paid (\$)</u>			
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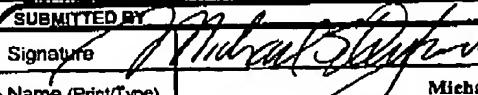
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